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1. LINCOLN has a copy of IR-26-53. In the event they did not receive a copy of Inclosure number 4 of this report, there follows a copy:

"Air Attache, Guatemala City IR-26-53

Inclosure 4

Minister of National Defense

LIST OF IMPORTANT MILITARY PERSONALITIES (GUATEMALA)

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2. There follows an extract of pertinent data from IR-31-54 dated February 1954:

"Air Attache, Guatemala City IR-31-54

N. PERSONALITIES

- 1. Delete 'Lt. Colonel Carlos Humberto SARTI Morales, Deputy Chief of GUATEMALAN AF.' SARTI is now Manager of AVIATECA, local government airline. (See our IR-103-53 for details). /NOTE/ IR-103-53 copied below for your info/. Substitute 'Major Horacio PELAEZ Vela as Director of Civil Aviation.' Biography is not presently available.
- 2. Amend Inclosure 4 to IR-26-53 to read:

Colonel Francisco MAZARIEGAS Sanabria

Major Arturo GUIROLA Batres

Major Manuel O! ZEA CARRASCOSA

Lt. Ruben ZUCHINI Paiz

Major David ROULET Pierri

Major Enrique VALLARDES Morris

Major M. Alberto VILLAGRAN Roja

Lt. Col. Hector MEDINA Coronado

Asst Chief of the Armed Forces

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Adjutant;

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Chief Quartermaster."

3. IR-103-53 from Air Attache, Guatemala City, dated/September 1953.

"Colonel Carlos A. SARTI, Deputy Chief of GUATEMALAN Air Force, was today appointed Manager of AVIATECA, the Guatemalan government-owned airline, vice Colonel Ricardo RODRIGUEZ P., former Manager, relieved.

COMMENTS OF PREPARING OFFICER: Colonel RODRIGUEZ took over the management of AVIATECA when the airline was several hundred thousand dollars in the red. Through sound management and business procedures he put AVIATECA on a paying basis. In doing so, he naturally stepped on the toes of his subordinates, discharging those who were completely "dead wood" and requiring the remainder to produce effectively. He ran into much difficulty with the abor unions in his efforts and was subject to much editorial and public criticism. Although no reason is given for his replacement, it is possible recurrent labor troubles formed the basis for his dismissal."

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... - Director of Escuela de Aplicacion

- Army Inspector